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MONEY, STOCKS AND GRAIN

Less Excitement in the Share List, with Wall-Street Bears Covering.

Easier Feeling in Call Loans Due to Revival of Talk About Gold Imports-Indianapolis Cereals Show More Activity.

THE BOND MARKET.

Railway Issues More Active and Heavy, with Sales Up to \$722,000.

At New York, yesterday, money on call was easy at 3 to 8 per cent., the last loan being made at 3 per cent., closing offered at 3 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 6@10 per cent. Sterling exchange was weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.814 @ 4.814 for sixty days, and \$4.834 @4.834 for de-

The silver market ruled firmer, with sales of certificates at 78 sc, closing at 780 bid. Sales of silver certificates, \$35,000.

The New York stock market was extremely erratic in its course yesterday. The finctuations were wide and frequent, but taken altogether a much calmer feeling prevailed. The bears kept up their raid incessantly, although it was evident that they were attempting to cover their shorts in certain stocks while hammering other parts of the list. This fact was most clearly brought out late in the afternoon, when Burlington & Quincy and Rock Island were both sharply attacked, and one bear house alone purchased over 15,000 of St. Paul. The depression in the two first named naturally brought out more or less St. Paul and other stocks. The lowest figures touched showed declines, as compared with the final quotations of Wednesday, of 2% in Burlington & Quincy, 24 in Rock leland, 24 in Manhattan and 14 in Lake Shore. After repeated ineffectual attempts to force down prices still further, the market finally had a substantial rally. The improvement was partially due to the revival of the talk about gold imports on account of the decline in sterling exchange, the decidedly easier feeling in call loans, the purchases of stocks for London account and the statements made by directors of the Rock Island road that the property is in excellent financial condition, with a larger business in sight for the season than at any previous time in its history. So far as the general market was concerned the feeling was decidedly more confident, and there was more buying for investment account than for some time. The market closed firmer in tone.

Railway bonds were active and heavy. The sales were \$722,000. Chicago & Eastern Illinois fives declined to 79; Reading secpnds, 34s to 15; Erie second consols, 35s to 834s; Wabash seconds to 73. Government bonds were steady and State bonds dull. Closing quotations were:

Four per cent reg.111 Lous. & Nash..... 5916 Four per ct. coup.111 |L. & New Albany.. 14 Pacific 6's of '95, 10312 Missouri Pacific... 2915 Atchison..... 1912 N. J. Central..... 984 Adams Express...140 Northern Pacific... 11
Alton & T. H.30 N. Pacific pref...... 2958
Alton & T. H. pref.145 Northwestern 994
American Express.109 Northwest'rn pr'f135 Ches. &. Ohio 1514 N. Y. Central 100 C., B. & Q. 8034 Peoria, D. & E. 9 C., C., C. & St. L. 3712 Pullman Palace. 156 Del., Lack. & W. 14314 Rock Island. 6438 Fort Wayne. 144 U. S. Express. 50 Lake Erie & W. 1414 W., St. L. & P. 714

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Trade Moderate in Volume, with Steady

Prices Ruling on Most Articles. Trade is as brisk as can be expected under present conditions. With the produce men and on Commission row there is a good deal of activity, but on South Meridian atreet it is rather quiet. Poultry is in good request. Eggs are off 1c. Irish potatoes are firmer. All small fruit is scarce and high. No one feature of business better demonstrates the growth of Indianapolis and the larger towns of the State than the increase of business on Commission row, as compared with live years ago. The hide market is dull at the reduced quotations of Wednesday. Provisions are in good request and prices easier on increasing re-

ceipts of hogs. There was a little more activity in the local grain market yesterday. Wheat advanced 4c and other cereals were firm and steady at Wednesday's quotations. Track bids yesterday ruled as follows: Wheat-No. 2 red, 5042c; No. 3 red, 55c;

No. 4 red, 50c; rejected, 45@50c; unmerchantalle, 30 @40c; wagon wheat, 58c. Corn-No. 1 white, 40c; No. 2 white, 0c; No. 5 white, 39c; No. 4 white, 30@35c;

No. 2 white mixed, 38c; No. 3 white mixed, 57e; No. 4 white mixed, 30@35e; No. 2 yellow, 374c; No. 3 yellow, 37c; No. 4 yellow, 30@35e; No. 2 mixed, 37 he; No. 3 mixed, 37c; No. 4 mixed, 80@35c; sound ear, 39@41c for Oats-No. 2 white, 83c; No. 3 white, 31@ 82c; No. 2 mixed, 294c; No. 3 mixed, 29c; rejeoted, 25@:0c.

Rye-No. 2, 53c for car lots: 45c for wagon Hay-Choice timothy, \$12.50; No. 1, \$12; No. 2, \$1,50; No. 1 prairie, \$7; mixed, \$5 clover, 89.

Bran, \$11. POULTRY AND OTHER PRODUCE.

[Prices Paid by Dealers.]

Poultry-Hens, 840 P 15; young chickens, 10@12e # 1b; tarkeys, toms, Sc # 15; hens, 90 4 15; ducks, 60 4 15; geese, \$4@4.50 Eggs-Shippers paying 10c straight and lie candled. Butter-Grass butter, 10@12c; mixed, 6@

Honey-18@20c. Feathers-Prime geese, 40e P h; mixed dnek, 20e 47 Beeswax-20c for yellow; 15c for dark. Wool-Unwashed fine metino, 12@10c;

medium unwashed, 17c; coarse or braid wool, 14@16c; tub-washed, 20@25c. Hides, Tallow, Etc. Hides-No. 1 G. S. hides, 34c; No. 2 G. S. bides, 3c; No. 1 calf bides, 5420; No. 2 calf hides, 4c; borse hides, \$2.

Tallow-No. 1 tallow, 8%c; No. 2 tallow, Grease-White, 5c; yellow, 340; brown,

Bones-Dry, \$12@13 P ton.

THE JOBBING TRADE,

[The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesate deuters.]

CANDIES AND NUTS. Candies-Stick, 7c P fb; common mixed, 7c; G. A. R. mixed, Sc; Banner mixed, 10c; cream mixed, 104c; old-time mixed, Sc. Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 20c; English walnuts, 16e; Brazil nuts. 10e; filberts, 11e; peanuts, roasted, 7@8e; mixed nuts, 15c.

CANNED GOODS. Peaches-Standard, 3-pound, \$2,50@2.75; 8-pound seconds, \$1.85@2; California standard, \$2.50@2.75; California seconds, \$2@2.25. Miscellaneous-Blackberries, 2-pound, 85@ Soc; raspberries. 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; pineple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.25@1.35; choice, \$2@2,25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 101.10; light, 70@75c; 2-pennd fuli, \$2@ 2.10; light, \$1.20@1.30; string beans, 85@95c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.30; peas, marrowiat, \$1.10 @1.20; early June, \$1.25 @ 1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries. \$1.20@1.30; salmon (15s), \$1.45@2.20; 8-pound tomatoes, \$1.20@1.25.

COAL AND COKE. Coke-Connellaville, \$3,75 \$7 load; ernahed, \$3.25 \$ load; lump, \$5 \$ load. Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 \$7 top; Pittsburg and Raymond City, 84.25 P ton; Jackson, 34.25; blook, \$8.25; Island City, \$3; | 25c. Solder, 15@16c.

Blossburg and English Cannel. \$5. All nut coals 50e below above quotations. DRIED FRUITS.

Figs-Layer, 14@15 # 15. Peaches-Common sun-dried, 7@80 P 15; common evaporated, 14@16c; California Apricots-Evaporated, 16@18c.

Prunes-Turkish, 8@9c P th; California, Currants-512 @6e P 15. Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1,75@1.85 P box; London layer, \$1.85@2 P box; Valen-

018, 8@8120 # 15; layer, 9@10c.

Alcohol, \$2.14@2.40; asafetida, 34c; alnm. 4@5c; camphor. 55@60c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65c; conperas, bris, \$1@1.10; cream tartar, pure, 28@30c; indigo, 80@81c; licorice, Calab, genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.45; madder, 14@16c; oil, castor, per gal, \$1.30@1.35; oil, bergamot, per 15. \$3; opium, \$3.10; quinine, P. & W., per oz, 29@ 34c; balsam copaiba, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@tie; soda, bicarb., 412@6c; salts. Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 5@fie: saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 36@40c; glycerine, 16@ 20c; 10dide potassium, \$3@3.10; bomide potassium. 38@40e; onlorate potash, 25e; borax, 12@14c; einehonidia, 12@15c; carbolte acid, 28@30c.

Oils-Linserd oil, 49@520 per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners, 45c. Lard oils-Winter strained, in barrels, 90c per gal; in haif barrels, 3c per gal extra.

DRY GOODS. Bleached Sheetings-Androscoggin L. 64c; Berkeley, No. 60. 9c; Cabot, 7c; Capital, 6c; Cumberland, 74c; Dwight Anchor, 84c; Fruit of Loom, 84c; Farwell, 8c; Fitchville, 6120; Full Width, 5120; Gilt Edge, 64c; Gilded Age, 74c; Hill, 8c; Hope, 7c; Linwood, 74c; Lonsdale, 84c; Lonsdale Cambrie, 104c; Masonville, 84c; Peabody, 6c; Pride of the West, 114c; Quinebaugh, 64c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 842c; Pepperell, 9-4, 20c; Pepperell, 10-4, 22c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 2010c; Androscoggin, 10-4,

Brown Sheetings -Atlantic A. 64c; Argyle, 6c; Boott C. 5c; Buck's Head 64c; Clifton CCC, 6e; Constitution, 40-inch. 8c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 71/2c; Great Falls E, 61/2c; Great Falls J, 51/2c; Hill Fine, 7c; Indian Head, 6340; Lawrence LL, 5c; Lockwood B, 64c; A, 54c; Princess, 54c; Saranac R, 64c; Trion Sea Island, 54c; Pepperell E, 64c; Pepperell R. 6c; Pepperell 9-4, 18c; Pepperell 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin 9-4, 184c; Androscoggin 10-4,

Prints-Allen dress styles, 6c; Allen's staples, 51/20; Allen TR. 60: Allen robes, 60; American indigo. 6c; American robes, 6c; American shirtings, 412c; Arnold merino, 6 2c; Arnold LLC, 8c; Arnold LCB, 9c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10c; Cocheco fancy, 6c; Cocheco madders, 54c; Hamilton fancy, 6e; Manchester fancy, 6e; Merrimac fancy, 6e; Merrimac pinks and purples, 6e; Pacific fancy, 6e; Pacitic robes, 612c; Pacific mourning, 6c; Simpson Eddystone, 6c; Simpson Berlin solids, 6c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Simpson's grays, 6c; Simpson's mournings, 6c.

Ginghams-Amoskeag Staples, 649c; Amoskeag Persian Dress, Sc; Bates Warwick Dress, 7420; Johnson BF Fancies, 840; Lancaster, 642c; Lancaster Normandies, 742c; Carrolton, 4%c; Renfrew Dress, 84c; Whittenton Heather, Sc; Calcutta Dress Styles,

Prime Cambrics-Manville, 440: S. S. & Son's, 440; Masonville, 440; Garner, 440. Tickings-Amoskeag, ACA, 1240; Conestoga, BF, 1440; Cordis, 140, 1340; Cordis, FT. 1342c; Cordis, ACE, 1242c; Hamilton awning, 104se; Kimono Fancy, 17c; Lenox Fancy, 18c; Methuen AA, 12c; Oakland, 200, 74c; Oakland, 250, 74c; Oakland, AF, 7c; Portsmouth, 124c; Susquehanna, 144c; Shetucket SW, 740. Shetucket F, 80; Swift River, 54c. Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$15.50; American,

Stark, \$19.50. GROCERIES. Sugar-Hard sugare, 6% 270; confectioners' A, 5 8 @64c; off A, 6@64c; A. 54@ 6 2c; extra C, 5 2 25 4c; yellow C, 4 2 25 8c, dark yellow, 4% @4%c.

\$15.50; Franklinville, \$18; Harmony, \$15.50;

Coffee-Good, 20@21e; prime, 22@23e; strictly prime, 24@25c; fancy green and yellows, 26@27c; ordinary Java, 29@30c; old government Java, 31@33c; roasted 1-15 packages, 2314c. Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans mo-

lasses, fair to prime, 30@40e; choice, 40@ 45c; ayrups. 80@36c. Rice-Louisiana, 34 @5c; Carolina, 44 @ Beans-Cheice hand-picked navy, \$2,30@ 2.35 P bu; medium hand-picked, \$2.25@2.30; limas, California, 5c P 15

Honey-New York stock, 1-15 sections, 16 Spices-Pepper, 16@18e; allspice, 12@15e; cloves, 20@25c; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 80

Salt-In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@ Woodenware-No, 1 tube, \$7@7.25; No. 2 tubs, \$6@6.25; No. 3 tubs, \$5@5.25; 3-hoop pails, \$1.70@1.75; 2-hoop pails, \$1.40@1.45; double wash-boards. \$2.25@2.75; common wash-boards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes-pine, 50@ 85c per box.

Twine-Hemp, 12@18c & fb; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30e; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 16@250. Shot-\$1.50@1.55 ₽ bag for drop. Lead-7@74c for pressed bars. Wooden Dishes-No. 1, per 1,000, \$2.20; No. \$2.50; No. 3, \$2.80; No. 5, \$3.50.

Flour sacks (paper)-Plain, 1/32 brl, 49 1.000, \$3.50; 1/16 brl. \$5; 4 brl. \$5; 4 brl. \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1/32 brl. \$7 1,000, \$4.25; 1/16, \$6.50; \(\frac{1}{2}\), \(\frac{1}\), \(\frac{1}\), \(\frac{1}\), \(\frac{1}\), \(\frac{1} \$28.50. Extra charge for printing. IRON AND STEEL

Bariron, 1.80@ .. 90c; horseshoe bar, 234@ Se; nail rod, 6e; plow slabs, Se; American cast steel, 9c; tire steel, 23 @3c; spring steel, 412@5c. LEATHER.

Leather-Oak sole, 28@38c; hemlock sole, 22@28c; harness, 26@38c; skirting, 31@33c; single strap, 41e; black bridle, # doz. \$60@ 97; fair bridle, \$60@78 \$ doz; city kip. 55@ 75c; French kip. 85c@\$1.10; city calfakins, 85c@\$1; French calfskins, \$1@1.80.

Oil cake, \$24 \$2 ton; oil meal, \$34. PRODUCE, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Apples-Peck boxes, 40@50c; \$3.75@4 \$ barrel.

New Tomatoes-4 baskets in crate, 750; la bu box, 75c. Red Plums-\$1@1.25 \$ 24-quart crate. Pears-Leconte. \$2 P bushel. Apricots-\$1.25@1.50 \$ 4-basket crate. California Plums-\$1.75. Currants-\$5 per stand; \$3 per 24-quart

Black Raspberries-\$3 \$ 24-qt. crate. Blackberries-\$2.25@2.50 per case of 24 quarts. Peaches-13 bu box, 65@75c.

Gooseberries-80@7 # stand. Onions-\$3.50@4 # brl; Bermuda onions, \$1.75 W bu crate. Wate melons-\$18@20 \$ 100. Cabbage-Early York, \$1.25 P brl; Louisville. \$2 P crate. Bananas-\$2@3 # bunch, according to

size and quality. Cherries-\$7@8 # stand. Lemons-Choice, \$4.75 P box: fancy \$6. Oranges-Navels, \$3.75; seedlings, \$3.25. Potatoes-\$2@2.25 | hrl. Green Corn-\$1.75@2 P barrel. Pineapples-\$1.50@2 per dozen.

Cheese-New York full cream, 12@13c; skims, 5@70 17 18. Apples-Sun-dried, 7@80 \$ 15. evaporated, 12@14c; 515 canned apples, \$1.10@ Red Raspberries-\$1.25@1.50 per twenty-

four-pint crate. PROVISIONS. Breakfast Bacon-Clear, English-cured, 15%c; sugar cured, 7 to 9 hs average, 13%c; 10 to 12 15s average, 134c; breakfast rolls, boneless, 1212. Hams-Sugar cured, 14c; 15 the average, 144c; 124 hs average, 144c; 10 hs average, 14 4 c; block hams, 14 2c.

Lard-Kettle rendered, in tierces, 1140; Bacon-Clear sides, 40 to 50 hs average, 12e; 30 to 40 lbs average, 1212; 20 to 30 lbs average, 124e; clear bellies, 18 to 22 fbs average, 124c; 12 to 15 lbs average, 13c; clear backs, heavy, 20 to 30 hs average, 11%c; medium, 10 to 15 fbs average, 12%c; light, 8 lbs average, 124c; French backs, 13 lbs average, 11c.

Shoulders-English-cured, 12 fbs average, 110: 16 lbs average, 10%c. neless Ham-Sugar-cured, 1312c. California Hams-Sugar-oured, 10 to 12 Ibs average, 11c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, & brl. 200 lbs. 821.50; family pork, \$18.50; rump

pork, \$18 49 brl. TINNERS'SUPPLIES. Best brand charcoal tin IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12@12. \$7.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20, and 12x12, \$9.50; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$6@6.50; IC, 20x28, \$12@13; block tin, in pigs. 25c; in bars, 27c. Iron-27 B iron, 34c; Ciron, 5c; galvanized, 67 per cent. discount, Sheet zine, 64 @70. Copper bottoms, 22c. Planished copper,

PRICE OF WHEAT A PARADOX

Crop Prospects Smallest in Years with Price the Lowest Since 1857.

Opening Figures Were at an Advance, but on Seiling and Cool Weather in the Northwest Camea Decline Below Wednesday.

TRADING AT CHICAGO.

Corn Ruled Stronger, but Trade in Provisions Was Light and Pork Fell 15c. CHICAGO, July 13 .- To-day's closing cables gave news of the advance at Paris and Berlin, and steadiness elsewhere, with a revival of the feeling that wheat was unduly pressed from legitimate causes. This caused the market here to leave off firm, though final prices were 18 @ 40 lower than yesterday. It was being pointed out that the crop prospects are the smallest, with one exception, since 1877. The export demand is said to be the heaviest on record, with one exception, and the price the lowest, since the panic of 1857. Wheat started a shade better on the stronger Liverpool cables and a general bull feeling growing out of crop damage rumors, but the demand was soon satisfied. Offerings were generous, trade slow, and when the cool weather was reported in the Northwest, quieting to a considerable extent, the apprehensions of hot winds in that region, the feeling became decidedly heavy and prices went off. The Cincinnati Price Current's crop summary was far from favorable concerning wheat, but this, for a time, did not appear to have any influence. Cudaby and Ramsey-Chandier were the principal seliers. The market opened at 5040 advance, declined 14c, improved slightly, held steady, and the closing was 4@ se lower than yesterday for September, and 'se lower for December. A report that the officials of three leading railroads covering the Northwest had compared information and figured out but sixty million bushels, mostly inferior wheat, for Minnesota and the Dakotas was not generally believed, but was used as a bull argument near the close. The same assertions earlier had helped the bears by weakening Wall-street quotations, and thus indirectly affecting wheat.

in corn first trades were at a trifle advance, the price selling up 'so and '4c more soon afterward. The dry weather map and fear that if rain does not come soon there will be damage by drouth and hot winds in parts of Kansus and Nebraska, acted as a strengthing factor and helped sustain the price. At the upturn the offerings became beavier, the receipts coming in larger and wheat turning down, the market sold off 4 @ sc. ruled stronger and at the close was

Oats were weaker, especially July, which was sold recely by parties who have been the leading buyers of late, and there being less than the usual support, prices receded to from the opening and closed at a net loss of 4c. The new crop futures declined se for September early, but reacted 40 and closed steady. Trade in provisions was light, but prices

were firm. The hog market had improved on smaller receipts. Lard and ribs commanded some better attention, but pork was boycotted. Compared with yesterday's closing prices lard is from . 10c to . 1240 higher and ribs advanced .10c. Pork is 150 lower.

The offerings of vessel room were not large and the demand moderate. Rates remain unchanged at 10 for wheat and corn to Buffalo. Estimated receipts for to-morrow are: Wheat, 50 cars; corn, 435; oats, 160; hogs, 20,000. The leading futures

Options.	Op'ning	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat-July.	6534	66	64 %	653
Bept	6934		6834	693
Dec	757s	757s	75	755
Corn-July	4010	405 ₈	4014	405
Aug	41	41	4012	407
Sept	4112		4134	413
Oats-July	2934		2834	287
Sept		2510	2518	251
Pork-July				\$18.95
Sept	\$19.80	\$19.80	\$19,60	19.95
Lard-July				9.721
Sept	10.20	10.25	10.15	10.221
Oct	9.75	9.85	9.70	9.771
B'ribs-July			****	9.00
Sept	9.1712	9.20	9.0712	9.15

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour easy at recent quotations. No. 2 spring wheat, 654 @65% c; No. 3 spring wheat, f. o. b., 56e; No. 2 red, 654 @85%c; No. 2 corn. 40 to: No. 3 corn. 39 to: No. 2 oats, 23 % @ 29c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 3512@35%c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 8242@83c; No. 2 rye, 50c; No. 2 barley nominal; No. 3, no sales; No. 4. no sales; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.084; prime simothy seed, \$4.10; mess pork, per brl. \$18.95@18.974s; lard, per 15, 9.724@ 9.75c; short-rib sides (loose), 8.9714 @9c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 8.25@8.50c; short-clear sides (boxed), 9.75@100; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., \$1.12. On the Produce Exchange to-day the but-

ter market was dull; creamery, 154@1940; dairy, 15@18c. Eggs, steady; strictly fresh, 144 @150. Receipts-Flour, 18,600 bris; wheat, 46,100 bu; corn, 292,900 bu; oats, 198,800 bu; rye, 1,300 bu; barley, 3,800 bu. Shipments-Flour, 13,400 bris; wheat, 21,000 bu; corn, 552,700

bu; oats, 275,100; rye, 600 bn; barley, 695 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, July 13.-Flour-Receipts.

22,600 packages; exports, 6,500 bris and 7,-600 sacks; sales, 4,800 packages. The market was dull and weak. Corn meal was dull and steady. Rye dull and steady. Barley malt was dull and steady.

Wheat-Receipts, 128,000 bu; exports, 236,-000 bu; sales, 630,000 bu futures, 52,000 bu spot. The spot market was very dull: No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 7240; afloat, 784@7240; f. o. b., 71%@740; ungraded red, 69@74c; No. 1 hard, 76% @77c; No. 1 Northern, 704@714c; No. 2 Milwankee, 704 @705c. Options opened firm at 'se advance on firmer cables and a builish report from the West, but declined 'so on the weakness in Wall street, with failures reported in London, increased receipts and local realizing; rallied 4 @ se on foreign buying and local covering and closed steady at 18@ 4c under yesterday. Speculation dull. No. 2 red, August, 72@784c: September, 77%c; October, 77%c; December,

Corn-Receipts, 17,000 bu; exports, 23,000 bu; sales, 185,000 bu futures and 30,000 bu spot. Spots were dull and firm; No. 2, 48 to in elevator, 494c affoat. Options were very dull and closed unchanged; August, 484 @49c, closing at 484c; September, 491/16/2494c, closing at 494c. Oats-Receipts, 76,000 bu; exports, 22,000 bu: sales, \$65,000 bu futures, 61,000 bu spot. Spots were firm and in moderate demand. Options were fairly active, opening firmer and closing easier; July, 37@374c, closing at 374c; August, 83 8 @ 334c. closing at 331sc; September, 31%c, closing at 31%c; No. 2 white, 40c; No. 2 Chicago, 38120; No. 3. 87c; No. 3 white, 39@39 2c; mixed Western,

37 42 @ 38 42 C. Hay quiet and steady. Hops dull and steady. Hides active and steady. Cut meats quiet and unsettled. Lard quiet and firmer; Western steam closed at 10.10c; sales, none. Options-Sales, none; July closed at 10.10c; September closed at 10.50c. Pork quiet and steady. Butter quiet and steady. Cheese firm: part skims, 1@5c. Eggs quiet and weak;

receipts, 8,941 packages; Western tresh, 15@

Tallow scarce and firm; city, (83 for packages), 50 bid. Cotton-seed oil was quiet and firm: crude, 36@37e; yellow, 42@424c. Rosin dull and weak; strained, common to good, \$1.124 @1.174. Rice steady and in fair demand. Molasses-New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, steady and quiet. Coffee-Options opened steady at 5@20 points advance, and closed steady at 5@10 points up; sales, 17,500 bags, including: July, 16.05@16.10c; September, 16.05@16.15c; October, 15.90c; December, 15.70@15.75c; January, 15,30c; March, 15,40c; spot Rio easy and quiet; No. 7, 17 ec. Sugar-Raw quiet and steady, sales, 5,300 bags centrifugals,

96 test, at 4%c; refined quiet and firm. TRADE IN GENERAL

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati and Other Points. ST. LOUIS, July 13.-Flour was weak, but prices unchanged. Wheat was weak,

being still influenced by the financial situ-ation; closed 4c off; No. 2 red, cash, 6140; July. 61%c; August, 634 @634c, closing at 634c; September, 65% @664c, closing at 66 sc; December, 724c. Corn was firm on damaged crop news; No. 2 mixed, cash, 374e; July, 378e; August, 38e; September, 384c. Oate nominal; No. 2. cash, 274c; July, 27c; August, 234c; September, 234c. Rye-No. 2, 43c bid. Bran uncanged. Hay weaker but prices unchanged. Butter un-changed. Eggs lower at 9c. Corn meal firmer at \$2@2.05. Whisky, \$1.12 for finished goods. Cotton bagging, 14 @54c. Iron cotton ties, 950@\$1. Provisions quiet and about steady. Pork and lard unchanged. Dry-saited meats-Loose shoulders, 7.874c; longs and ribs, 9c; shorts, 9.37 2c; boxed lots .15c more. Bacon -Packed shoulders, 9.50c; longs and ribs, 10.50c; shorts, 10.75c. Hams unchanged. Receipts-Flour, 2,000 bris; wheat, 109,000 bu; corn. 38,000 bu; oats. 18,000 bu; rye. none; barley, none. Shipments-Flour, 7 .-000 brls; wheat, 109,000 bu; corn, 72,000 bu; oats, 6,909 bu; rye, none; barley, none.

PHILADELPHIA, July 13. - Flour-Business was more active in desirable trade brands and prices ruled steady; low grades duli. Wheat-Cash and July steady, but futures beyond this month weak and declined 1800 40 under a general pressure to sell; No. 2 red, July, 69@69%c; August, 70@ 70%c; September, 72@72%c; October, 74@ 744c. Corn was a shade firmer but quiet; No. 2 mixed, July, 484 @484c; August, 49@ 4940; September, 494 @504c; October, 504 @50%c. Oats-Futures a shade firmer but quiet; No. 2 white, July, 3734 @384c; August, 34@85c; September, 38@34c. Butter quiet; Pennsylvania creamery, extra, 22c; Pennsylvania prints, extra, wholesale, 24c; Pennsylvania prints, extra, jobbing, 25@ 28c. Eggs weak; Pennsylvania firsts, 16c. Receipts-Flour, 5,800 bris and 4,200 sacks; wheat, 60,200 bu; corn, 16,500 bu; oats, 23,400 bu. Shipments-Wheat, 2,800 bu; corn, 6,300 bu; oats, 4,100 bu.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 13. - The cash wheat market was about steady at yesterday's prices. No. 1 Northern sold at 60c, and No. 2 Northern about as yesterday. Receipte, 235 cars here and 67 cars at Duluth and Superior. Close: May, 77c. July, opened and highest, 594c; lowest and closing, 584c. August, 61c. September opened at 614c; highest, 644@64%c; lowest, 634c; closed at 644c. December, opened and highest 704c; lowest, 70c; closed, 704c. On track: No. 1 hard, 62c; No. 1 Northern, 60c; No. 2 Northern, 57%c.

CINCINNATI, July 13.-Flour dull and lower. Wheat firmer; No. 2 red, 60c; receipts, 1,400 bu; shipments, 3,000 bu. Corn quiet; No. 2 mixed, 42c. Oats soarce and strong; No. 2 mixed, 33c. Rye dull and unchanged. Pork unchanged; mese, \$17.50 Lard firmer at 9.25c. Bacon firmer and quiet; short clear, 10% @10% c. Whisky steady; sales, 420 bris of finished goods on a basis of \$1.12. Butter firm; creamery, 22c; dairy, 14@15c. Sugar firm; hard refined, 5% @5%c. Eggs slow at 12c. Cheese strong; Ohio flat, 84

No. 2 red, spot, 68 so; July, 68c; August, 69c; September, 71c. Corn quiet; No. 2 mixed, spot and July, 474c; August, 474c; September, 48% c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white Western, 57% c. Rye dull and lower; No. 2, 5%c. Hay strong; prime to choice timothy, \$16.50. Grain freights unchanged. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Butter quiet; creamery, fancy, 21c. Eggs weak at 14c. Coffee steady; Rio No. 7, 174c.

TOLEDO, July 13.-Wheat steady; cash, new, 664c. Corn steady; No. 2, cash, 414c; No. 3, 40c. Oats quiet; cash, 314c. Rye-Nothing doing. Clover-seed dull and firm: prime, October. \$6.75. Receipts-Flour, 237 bris; wheat, 8,900 bu; corn. 29,900 bu; oats. 1,200 ba. Shipments-Flour, 1,100 brls; wheat, 40,600 bu; corn, 1,900 bu; rye, 500 bu. DETROIT, July 13.—The market closed

quiet and about steady to a shade easier than yesterday. Wheat-No. 1 white, 6740; No. 2 red. cash, 66 4c; No. 3 red. 63 2c; August, 6740; September, 6940. Corn-No. 2, cash, 42c. Oats-No. 2 white, 35c; No. 2 mixed, 31c. Receipts-Wheat, 16,000 bu; corn, 2,000 bu; oats, 17,000 bu.

BOSTON, July 13.-The wool market remains quiet. Some fair lines of Territorial wools have been moved at low prices or on a basis clean of 43745c for fine and fine medium, and 40c for medium. Spring California wool sold moderately at 11@13c, and Texas at 14@15c. Ohio fleeces quiet at 240 for X and 250 for XX, with No. 1 at about 28c. A line of 63,000 pounds choice.Ohio fine delaine sold at 27c, but 26c is an antake price for average. Michigan fine delatae sold at 25c, and No. 2 and No. 3 combing at 25e. Unwashed combing wool sold at 20 @21c for one-quarter and three-eights, and unwashed and unmerchantable Ohio and Michigan fleeces at 15 20c. Pulled wool sells steadily at 30 2 35c for super. Foreign wools are dull.

ST. LOUIS, July 13.-Wool is scarce and not quoted. Receipts, 66,000 pounds; shipments, 184,000 pounds. The market was tame, rather easier, but not quotably changed. Bright wools keep fairly well sold up.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The petroleum market was dull but firm. Pennsylvania oil, spot sales none, August option, sales none; 590 bid. Lima oil, sales none, 350 bid. Total sales, none. Turpentine active and lower at 27120280. OIL CITY, July 13.—National Transit certifi-cates opened at 58½c; highest, 58¾c; lowest, 58½c; closing, 58¾c. Sales, 10.000 bris; clear-ances, 10,000 brls; charters, 107,819 brls; ship-

ments, 77,493 brls. CLEVELAND, July 13.-Petroleum easy; standard white, 110°, 55ec; gasoline, 74°, 6120; gasoline, 86°, 10c; naphtha, 63°, 6120. PITTSBURG, July 13.-National Transit certificates opened at 58%; closed at 58c; high. est, 58 4c; lowest, 58c. SAVANNAH, July 13.-Spirits of turpentine

steady at 25 bc. Rosin firm at \$1. Metals.

NEW YORK, July 13. - Pig iron dull and steady; American, \$12.75@15.50. Copper weak; lake, 10.25c, Lead steady; domestic, 5.621ge. Tin closed strong; Straits, 19.40c bid, 19.55c asked; plates quiet and steady; spelter flat; domestic, ST. LOUIS, July 13. - Lead dull at 3.30c

asked; spelter, 3.950 asked.

Dry Goods. NEW YORK, July 13.-Quite a number of buyers have arrived for the dry-goods market and some purchases have been made, but as a rule they are so far observers of the situation. The middle of this month has been designated as the time when operations for the fall trade would be likely to expand. The coming week may accordingly show more life and interest.

Cotton. NEW ORLEANS, July 13 .- Cotton steady. Good middling, 8e; middling, 712e; low middling, 714e; good ordinary, 6 13-16e; net and gross receipts, 1,898 bales; sales, 1,350 bales; stock, 95,215

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle in Light Supply and Dull-Hogs Active at Steady Prices-Sheep Oulet. INDIANAPOLIS, July 13,-CATTLE-Receipts, 100. There was a light supply, and the market was dull at barely ateady prices.

All sold. Fair to medium shippers..... 3.50@4.00 2.50@3.25 3.5004.00 Stockers, common to good 2.50@3.25 Good to choice heifers..... 3,5004.00 Fair to medium beifers..... 2.75 73.25 Common thin heifers..... Good to choice cows..... 3.00 2 3.50 Fair to medium cows...... 2.25@2.75 Common oid cows...... 1.00 2.00 Veals, common to good 3,50 \$5.50 Bulls, common to medium..... 2.00@2.50 Bulls, good to choice. 2.75 \$3.25
Milkers, good to choice. 27.00 \$37.00
Mikers, common to medium. 15.00 \$22.00

Hogs-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 1,500. The quality was good. The market opened active at steady prices, packers and shippers buging, and closed steady with all

sold. Heavy roughs and pigs..... 4.50 @5.90 SHEEP AND LAMBS-But few here. The market was quiet at about previous prices. Good to choice sheep.....\$3.50@4.00 Fair to medium sheep...... 3.00 23.35 Common thin sheep..... 2.25 2.75 Spring lambs...... 3.00 2 5.00 Bucks, per head..... 2.00@4.00

BUFFALO, July 13.-Cattle-Receipts, 86 carloads through and 5 carloads for ale. The market was steady and firm.

Hogs-Receipts, 60 carloads through and 8 carloads for sale. The market was lower. Good mediums and packers, \$6.45. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 15 carloads through and 7 carloads for sale. The market was slow and generally weaker for all butchers' stock. Good lamba, \$5.50@6; few extra, \$6.50; yearlings, \$4. 525; good mixed sheep, \$4,25@4.60. No extra wethers here. CHICAGO, July 13.-The Evening Journel reports: Cattle-Receipts, 15,000; shipments, 4,000. The market was lower for native steers. Prime beeves, \$4.75@5.40; good, \$4.35@4.65; medium, \$3.80@4.25; grass-

ers, \$3.25@3.75; Texans, \$2.25@3.75; stockers, \$2@3.25; cows, \$1@3.25 Hoga-Receipts, 22,000; shipments, 8,000. The market was 10c higher for neavy hogs than at yesterday's close, but closed weak; light grades strong. Mixed and packers,

\$5.85@6.15; prime heavy and butchers' weights, \$6.10@6.20; light, \$6.10@6.80. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 16,000; shipments, 2,000. The market was lower. Natives, \$3.75@5.25; Westerns, \$3.30@4.25; Texans, \$2.50@4.15; lambs, \$3@5.75. KANSAS CITY, July 13.-Cattle - Re-

ceipts, 5,000; shipments, 4,000. The market was weak for best grades; other grades 5@ 10c lower. Texas steers, \$2.30@4.10; Texas cows. \$1.75@2.50; shipping steers, \$4.20@ 5.25; native cows, \$1.25@3.75; butchers' stock, \$3.50@4.40: stockers and feeders, \$2@ 3,90; bulls and mixed, \$1.75@3. Hogs-Receipts, 9,000; shipments, 6,000. The market opened firm but closed weak.

The buik of the sales were at \$5,80@5.90; heavy bogs, \$5.70@5.90; packers, \$5.75@5.45; mixed, \$5.70@5.95; light, \$5.65@6.0216; Yorkers. \$5.90@6.024; pigs, \$5@5.90, Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 1,000; shipments, 1,000. The market was slow. NEW YORK, July 13 .- Beeves-Receipts.

Calves-Receipts, 435. The market was dull and steady. Veals, \$5@6.75; buttermilk calves, \$3.25. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts 3,301. Sheep steady; lambs 40 higher. Sheep sold at

\$3.50@4.625; lambs, \$5@7.25; dressed lambs, 942 @ 13420. Hogs-Receipts, 1,325. The market was nominally dull at \$6.40@7. ST. LOUIS, July 13.-Cattle-Receipts, 2.000; shipments, 7,000. The market was slow to 10c lower; very few natives on sale;

grass Texas steers, \$3.40. Hogs-Receipts, 2.000; shipments, 3,000. The market was 10c lower than yesterday: top prices, \$6.10; bulk of sales at \$5.80@6. Sheep-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 6,000, The market was easier and unchanged. CINCINNATI, July 13.-Hogs lower; select butchers' and shippers, \$5,90@6; light, \$5.20@6.25. Receipts, 1,200; shipments,

Cattle weak; shipping, \$4@4.75. Receipts, 500; shipments, 340. Sheep steady; good to extra. \$3.75@5. Receipts, 10,100; shipments, 5,980. Lambs heavy and drooping; good to extra, \$4.50

REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Thirteen Transfers, with a Total Considers-

tion of \$35,159 38. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 P. M., July 13, 1893, as furnished by Elliott & Butler, abstracters of titles, Hartford Block, No. 84 East Market

Anna C. Febrenback to V. K. Hendricks et al., lot 245, in Fletcher's Woodlawn addition \$2,989.38 Ezra Hamilton to John Hamilton, part of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 16, township 2,100.00 16, range 5..... John W. Ray to Elizabeth Moore, lot 11, in Fletcher's addition to Bright-John J. Beisel to Anton Angrick and wife, lot 14, in Coburn's first Belmont addition..... William M. Watson to John J. Minthorn, lot 204, in Talbott's revised ment Company to Anna Wingerter and husband, lot 11, in Highland south half of lot 1, in Adamson's subdivision of outlot 4..... Elnore Stelhorn to Emma B. Thornberry et al., part of lot 78, in Hanna's heirs' addition.....

William H. Dye to Mary E. Bean, lot 20, in James Morrison's subdivi-4,500.00 Charles D. Pearson to John A. Wilkins, lot 6 and part of lot 7, in Pope's subdivision of St. Clair's ad-481, in McCarty's tenth West-side Clifford-avenue addition..... Nancy P. Beville to Henry L. Heit-

man, lot 20, in Ridenour's Highland Home addition..... 4,400.00 Transfers, 13; consideration......\$35,159.38

CIVIL SERVICE AND PRIMARIES.

The Federal Employe Can Attend His Party's Primaries if He Chooses.

To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal: In the Journal of Thursday "Citizen' makes the nonattendance of primaries a cover for an attack upon the civil-service law and rules, and upon ex-President Hayes, whose administration will go into history with that of Benjamin Harrison among the best the country ever had. The Haves order relative to officers taking part in politics was necessary at that time to break up the custom of officeholders dictating local politics. They took the time which belonged to the government for that purpose. He did not forbid their participation as citizens in primaries, nor was Mr.

Arthur removed for the reason that he

would not carry out the order. his party in the national House was brought forward for the Republican nommation for Congress by his friends. The occupant of the office was of no account. but he was able, as Representative, to diotate most of the subordinate appointments. In the custom house and leading postoffices there were 150 subordinates who, to a man. were made to work for the Representative in office. In the custom house were sixty men, most of whom were expert workers. Their duties kept them but eight hours a day in the custom house. The rest the time was employed working up the wards for stupid Congressman. The brilliant man's friends had to fight this combination after they had been about their business twelve hours a day. He carried the convention on a close vote, carried his city in the primaries by 1,000 votes, but the fight did not end there. The oustom-house crowd sulked -some even demanding assurance of their positions as the price of their votes for a regularly nominated party candidate, and some gave their influence secretly for a bolting candidate. This is but one case of them, and the civil-service order has broken up the unjust system of official interference in making nominations, which did the

party great injury from 1866 to 1876. "Citizen" is way off in his statement that certain classes of subordinates in the federal service are not permitted to attend primaries. There is no such law and no such rule under any law. There is not an official in the country who is debarred from attending primaries. Mr. Cleveland issued a letter forbilding federal officers, in an indefinite manner, from taking an active part in nominating conventions, Mayor Sullivan was nominated by a convention made up of delegates fixed by officeholders in city and county-does "Citizen" want a ticket for the Republican party

nominated by such methods? Why does not the average man attend the primary? Because, first, it is held at hours in which it is not convenient to attend, and, second, unless he is prompt at a certain hour, there is no opportunity to vote, Hold ward instead of precinct primaries, and have the polls open from 5 until 8 o'clock, so that citizens can vote as they go home-a system which has been attended with good results in other States. Again, primaries should not be held so long before the election, for the reason that busy peo-

ple are not prepared to act, Lastly, party committees should consult the voters about the time of holding conventions. If the present committee had consulted the opinion of Republican voters. the convention would not have been called until September, a month before the election. Such inconsiderate action disgusts many Republicans. If the primaries are thinly attended, it will be because they are held one of the insufferably bot July nights, after men, weary with the day, have gone home, and who find some sort of an excuse for absence, the leading one being that they have not had time in which to

make up their minds. REPUBLICAN PRIVATE. Indianapolis, July 13.

SCHOOL BOARD FUNDS.

Mr. Krause Gives Reasons Why the Public Should Not Be Deprived of Interest.

To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal The Indianapolis News, in its reply to A. Miller concerning Mr. Vonnegut's agitation of the interest question, tells nearly

has made clear where he stands. So long as the board remains of the same mind as at present he can accomplish nothing. You have not a word to say for any man who

Violates a pledge, Still, the pledge is violated, and the dunning of the violator has had no effect. About \$3,000 are lost to the public schools, and to prevent a further violation of the pledge for the new school year and the repetition of the loss of \$3,000 and a diversion of it to private pockets, Mr. Vonnegut tried to introduce a resolution before the vote for new officers was taken. But even the mention of this offer was ruled out of order by Mr. Conner; Vonnegut's friends forsook him. The banking interest is vindicated, and the public cannot approve of the action of the board. Furthermore, the News says that it is

sure of one thing, and that is, that the treasurer ought not individually to draw interest on funds in his hands, as was said to have been done in the case of the Library building fund, borrowed long before it was needed. Now, I think the public should be further informed that that money was borrowed to the full amount on the suggestion of a banker, who tried very hard to be elected treasurer, but did not succeed; that he then moved to deposit that fund in some bank that should pay 2 per cent. on all amounts that would remain in its hands three months and 3 per cent. on such as would remain there a year. But the treasurer could not be moved. He had made no promise, and the law was in his favor, However, the present treasurer had made a promise, broke it for one year, will very likely break it another year, and is protected by the majority of the Board of School Commissioners. As to the wisdom or folly of making the treasurer pay interest, there may be different opinions. We ought, in judging about that, not to be guided by selfish motives. If we allow him to handle the funds at his own pleasure and profit, we give him a chance, under the mask of disinterestedness, to appropriate to himself a compensation, while he as well as all other school commissioners is bound by law to serve gratuitously. It creates aspirants for the office for the sake of lucre, and induces them to bribe voters and commissioners to assist them in their aspirations. This serves to bring the Board of School Commissioners into disrepute and deprives the school treasury of a snug income, in diverting it to private enrichment. The often-made assertion that the funds would be made unsafe by creating a system of bidding for the custody of them will not hold water. Let the board fix a reasonable rate of interest and demand United States bonds as security. It is a valuable class of deposits for, banks. They can well afford to pay a small rate of interest on it and furnish undoubted security for the same. C. H. KRAUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, July 12.

CURRENT MAGAZINES.

The July Century contains two papers in reply to the official defense of Russia by the Secretary of the Russian legation at Washington in a form. er number. One of them is written by Joseph Jacobs and relates mainly to the expulsion of the Jews; the other is by George Kennan. Both give a very harrowing picture of the condition of the Russian peasantry. The world's fair literature of the number is a study by Royal Cortissoz of the color effects in decorating. Harriet Waters Preston has an interesting study of the work of Thomas Hardy. A sketch of Sarah Siddons, by Edmund Gosse, gives a new estimate of that great actress's personality. "Old Portsmouth Profile" is a bit of summer-day prose by Thomas Bailey Aldrich. A paper by C. E. S. Wood on "Some Famous Indians," with portraits, teaches anew the two facts that the Indian is not invariably as bad as he has been painted, and that his treatment by the United States has been shameful. Mr. and Mrs. Pennell describe with pen and brush "The Most Picturesque Place in the World." Mrs. Oliphant has a thoughtful and entertaining study of the character and life of Dean Swift." Dr. Allen McLane Hamilton gives his views of the treatment of disease by suggestion. Two serials, two or three short stories, and a number of poems of moderate merit make up the number.

It has remained for McClure's Magazine to introduce the "interview" into a form somewhat more permanent than that of newspaper literature. In the July number Edward Everets Hale reports a conversation between himself and Oliver Wendell Holmes, a variety of topics being touched upon, but most attention be ing given to Emerson. The personality of both interviewer and interviewed gives the account a peculiar interest. Several portraits of Holmes Ulustrate the article. A very interesting talk with Karl Hagenback, whose animal show is one of the attractions of the Midway Plaisance at the fair, discloses that person's methods of training wild beasts. A "Ballad of the Sea", by Kipling; a short story by Thomas Hardy, a character sketch of the famous journalist. De Blowitz, and the story of a curious episode in the Bronte family are among the readable articles. This magazine, which sells at 15 cents a number, commands a list of contributors and shows an originality of method which promise well for its success. 743 Broadway, New

Electricity is a power so lately harnessed for man's use that comparatively few persons realize all that has been accomplished with it. The July Review of Reviews takes up the subject and describes the electrical exhibits at the world's fair and the manner in which that force is used to help make the Columbian exposition the modern wonder it is. Biographical sketches and accounts of the work of the "two giants of Now for the example. A man who leads | the electric age," Thomas A. Edison and Sir William Thomson, are also given. Rev. F. H. Stead, brother of the editor of the Review, gives an enthusiastic description of the world's fair as it presents itself to his English eyes. The summary of the news and literature of the month is of the usual comprehensiveness. 13 Astor place,

New York. In Music for June Dr. William Mason tells of the impression made by Chopin's playing upon the composer's musical associates and contem poraries. Mason reproves the students who undertake to counteract the extreme sweetness and sentimentality of Chopin's music by more vigorous and robust playing. The spirit of the composition, however unsuited to the taste of the player, should be conscientiously given. James Paul White invents the word "tonia" to express tone space, or the difference between musical tones, for which a distinctive word has hitherto been lacking. Considerable space is given to consideration of music at the fair and to the musical congresses in Chicago.

Among the selections from foreign periodicals in the Eclectic Magazine is an interesting paper by Sir Herbert Mostyn on "The Craving for Figtion." A paper by a writer in the Westminster hundreds, and the Hayes order struck at Review seriously discusses the question, "Will them, and the civil-service order has broken Socialism be a Remedy for Present Social Ills?" and declares that it will not. Professor Max Muller discusses Esoteric Buddhism, and discredits its prophet and founder, Madame Blavatsky. Subjects of other papers are: "The Propagation and Prevention of Cholera," "Is the Universe Infinite?" Lady Mary Wortley Montagu and "The Last Days of an Empire." No. 144 Eighth street, New York.

The Cosmopolitan has ereated a sensation in magazine circles by cutting its subscription price in half and furnishing its monthly issues at 1212 cents each. How this is to be done, and done successfully, other publishers profess to be unable to understand, but as the Cosmopolitan has from the beginning charged but 25 cents. where others ask 35, and for that price has furnished high-class literature and fine illustrations, the public may safely accept its promises that the same standard will be maintained at the reduced rates. The July number has a table of contents that should suit an exacting taste.

Among the minor magazines Worthington's takes a leading place, being well edited and its contributions well chosen. Among the contributors to the July number are S. G. W. Benjamin, Mary A. Livermore, Lilian Whitney and Helen Campbell. Two interesting papers relate. respectively, to the lighthouse system of the United States and to phases of life in the Tyrol. Eliza Calvert Hall has a tribute of praise and remembrance for Henry Timred, one of the few Southern poets worthy of the name.

The Colorado Magazine is a Denver number. its leading contributions giving descriptions of that city as it was when tents sheltered the first settlers, in 1859, and as it is now. The gold cure question has reached that point in its Western travel, and the problem "Is Inebriety Curable?" is discussed by several writers. Among other contributions are: "Incidents of a Trip to Chihuahua." "High and Low Life in China," and a review of the proceedings of the woman's con-

Subjects discussed in Donahoe's Magazine are "Catholic Lawyers and Divorce Cases," "Is Wall Street Immorall" "Thirty Years of Ireland's Battle," "Heroes in Irish Political Life." "American Studios," "Women Who Have Made History." "Catholicism in Boston," "Irish Signare also a number of stories and posms. Boston, Mass. ers of the Declaration of Independence." There

Cleveland's Self-Restraint

New York Sun. It is a fact illustrating Mr. Cleveland's powers of self-restraint and secreey that after four months no more is really known of his ideas and intentions on the subject of Hawaiian annexation than was known the whole story. The News says: "He | when his term began.